



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 2024**  
Kazunori KATAOKA et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2004\_1437A  
Serial No. 10/507,303 : Group Art Unit 1641  
Filed October 7, 2004 : Examiner Shafiqul Haq  
BRUSH-LIKE STRUCTURED SURFACE OF : **Mail Stop: AF**  
POLY (ETHYLENE OXIDE) HAVING  
ELEVATED DENSITY

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**RESPONSE UNDER 37.CFR1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 1600**

Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a three month extension of time to respond to the communication of  
July 12, 2006.

The fee of \$1,020.00 is

(X) submitted herewith.

() to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. A duplicate copy of this Petition is  
enclosed.

() Small entity status of this application is established by a Small Entity Status Assertion  
which

() is enclosed.


() has been previously submitted.

Respectfully submitted,

Kazunori KATAOKA et al.

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED  
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE  
FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT  
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